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Amendments to the Specification:

On page 1, please amend paragraph [0001] as follows:

[0001] The present application is related to the following applications: <u>U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/689,366 entitled</u> Method for Manipulating Data in a Group of Processing Elements to Perform a Reflection of the Data (docket no. DB001071-000); <u>U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/689,380 entitled</u> Method for Manipulating Data in a Group of Processing Elements (docket no. DB001072-000); <u>U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/689,300 entitled</u> Method for Manipulating the Data in a Group of Processing Elements to Transpose the Data Using a Memory Stack (docket no. DB001069-000); <u>U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/689,280 entitled</u> Method of Obtaining Interleave Interval for Two Data Values (docket no. DB001065-000); and <u>U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/689,390 entitled</u> Method of Rotating Data in a Plurality of Processing Elements (docket no. DB001063-000), all filed concurrently herewith.